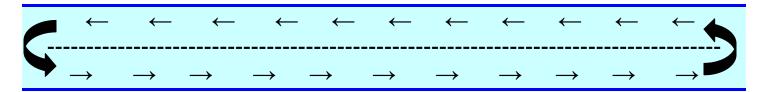
LAP SWIMMING ETIQUETTE

The lap swim lanes can at times be busy. We have a system to make your swim easier and more enjoyable. If two people are sharing a lane they may swim on separate sides of the lane. When a third person enters the lane he/she will need to inform the others that they will need to switch to a circle swimming pattern. Circle swimming allows several people to share a lane.



CIRCLE SWIMMING

If the lap lanes are occupied you need not wait to swim. Most people are accommodating and will allow you to share the lane with them. Please speak with the lifeguard on duty if you would like help getting into the right lane for you. If necessary to make lap swimming operate more smoothly, the lifeguard may ask you to move into an appropriate speed lane. Thank you for your cooperation.

POINTS TO REMEMBER

- When entering an occupied lane please communicate with the other swimmer; especially if you are joining a lane where two swimmers have split the lane. This will eliminate the occurrence of any head-on collisions!
- Swimming with people of similar speeds eliminates the need to pass. If you do wish to pass a swimmer; gently tap their foot and they should allow you to pass once they reach the wall.
- Be careful when doing a flip turn if there is someone at the wall in the lane.

Kickboards and pull buoys are available. If you have any questions on how to use this equipment please ask a staff member.

MONROE STREET POOL USER CODE OF CONDUCT

All patrons agree to participate in a manner that promotes and demonstrates respect to fellow swimmer, spectators, participants and staff.